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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings(if filed)
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- Claim(s)
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3. ☒ Drawing(s)(35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 5]

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named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
163(d)(2) and 1.33(b)

5. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☐ Assignment Papers(cover sheet & document(s))
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Statement(IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
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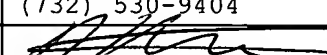
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				1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
				1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
				1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1)

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

			Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid
Total Claims	27	-20 **	=	7	X	18	= 126
Independent Claims	5	-3 **	=	2	X	86	= 172
Multiple Dependent					X		= 0

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				1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
				1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
				1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
				1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
				1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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				1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
				1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
				1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
				1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
				1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
				1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
				1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
				1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
				1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
				1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
				1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
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				1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
				1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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				1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
				1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
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Title

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFICIENT ROUTING OF  
VARIABLE TRAFFIC

Atty Docket Number

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